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In re Patent Application of:  
Mitsuko KOSAKA

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING TISSUE  
CELLS FROM PLURIPOTENT STEM  
CELLS DERIVED FROM IRIS PIGMENTED  
EPITHELIAL CELLS OF ANIMAL, AND  
TISSUE CELLS OBTAINED BY METHOD

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 13, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.